- (b) If the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection rejects the proposal, the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection informs the owner of the reasons why the proposal is rejected.
- (c) If the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection accepts the proposal, then the owner shall ensure that-
  - (1) The proposal is followed; and
- (2) Nondestructive testing is performed by personnel meeting ASNT "Recommended Practice No. SNT-TC-1A (1988), Personnel Qualification and Certification in Nondestructive Testing.'
- (d) Within 30 days after completing the nondestructive test, the owner shall submit a written report of the results to the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection.

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#### §38.25-5 Removal of defective tanks-TB/ALL.

If a tank fails to pass the tests prescribed in this subpart, it shall be removed from service unless otherwise authorized by the Commandant.

#### § 38.25-10 Safety relief valves—TB/ ALL.

- (a) The cargo tank safety relief valves shall be inspected at least once in every 2 years.
- (b) The safety relief valve discs must be lifted from their seats in the presence of a marine inspector by either liquid, gas, or vapor pressure at least once every 5 years to determine the accuracy of adjustment and, if necessary, must be reset.

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# PART 39—VAPOR CONTROL **SYSTEMS**

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## Subpart 39.10—General

# § 39.10-1 Applicability—TB/ALL.

- (a) Except as specified by paragraph (c) of this section, this part applies to each tank vessel operating in the navigable waters of the United States, when collecting vapors of crude oil, gasoline blends, or benzene emitted from a vessel's cargo tanks through a vapor control system.
- (b) A tank vessel which transfers vapors of flammable or combustible cargoes other than crude oil, gasoline blends, or benzene, to a facility covered by 33 CFR part 154 must meet the requirements prescribed by the Commandant (G-MSO).
- (c) A tank vessel with an existing vapor collection system specifically approved by the Coast Guard for the collection of cargo vapor which was operating prior to July 23, 1990, is subject only to §39.30-1 and §39.40-5 of this part as long as it transfers cargo vapor only to the specific facilities for which it was approved.